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Mr. Daniel Kopcow, P.E., PMP Project Manager Weston Solutions, Inc. 205 Campus Drive Edison, New Jersey 08837

Dear Mr. Kopcow:

This letter is in response to your February 18, 2010 and February 24, 2010 correspondence regarding the Interim Remedial Measures (IRM) Remedial Action Workplan (RAWP) for recovery of light non-aqueous phase liquid (LNAPL) at the Hatco Site. As stated in your February 24 correspondence, the IRM RAWP also serves as the Engineering and Monitoring Plan for LNAPL recovery. Please be advised that the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has reviewed your correspondence, and hereby approves the IRM RAWP subject to the following conditions:

- 1. EPA reserves its right to review and comment on the future design details of the IRM.
- 2. As a clarification to the text of the IRM RAWP, all surfaces of non-dedicated field equipment that come into direct contact with material that potentially contains PCBs will be swabbed using gauze pads and hexane.
- 3. While EPA recognizes the need to maintain a safety corridor around underground utilities, the Agency is concerned with the extent of utilities depicted in the IRM RAWP, which significantly reduces the amount of post-IRM confirmation soil samples that can be collected. Therefore, within sixty (60) calendar days of receipt of this letter, please provide the Agency with revised versions of Figures 2 and 3 of Attachment 3 (Confirmation Sampling Plan), clearly identifying the type and size of the individual utilities within each corridor designation and indicating whether or not these utilities are active.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact James Haklar, Ph.D., P.E., of my staff, at 732-906-6817.

Sincerely yours,

John Gorman, Acting Chief

Pesticides and Toxic Substances Branch

cc: Lynn Vogel, New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection